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- 1. The headquarters 23 Corps (4 Army) is at Ljubljana. The commander is Lieutenant-General Bozovic; the deputy commander is Major-General Karl Levesnik; the political commissar is a certain Djuraskovic and the deputy chief of staff is Colonel Gaje Vukovic.
- 2. The following units are attached to the 23 Corps: the army artillery command with headquarters at Ljubljana; a motorized artillery regiment with Headquarters at Celje; an anti-aircraft regiment at Ljubljana; a cavalry regiment at Sisak; an antitank regiment at Ljubljana, with one battalion at Vrhnika; a technical regiment at Ptuj; a signal regiment at Ljubljana; a motor transport regiment at Domzale; a disciplinary battalion at Kocevje; a chemical battalion at Medvode; an army hospital at Ljubljana; an artillery ammunition depot at Moste; a motor vehicle depot at St. Vit; and an army driver's school at St. Vit.
- 3. The motorized artillery regiment consists of three battalions: the 1 Battalion at Vrhnika equipped with 127mm guns; and the 2 and 3 Battalions at Ljubljana equipped with 220mm guns.
- The 4 Army consists of five divisions: the 1 Proletarian Division; the 7 Banjiska; the 17 Infantry Division; the 23 Macedonian; and the 26 Dalmatian.
- 5. The 1 Preletarian Division headquarters is at Postojna. The division is composed of the 1 Serbian Proletarian Regiment at Kopar, Zone B, Free Territory of Trieste; the 3 Serbian Proletarian Regimentat Postojna; the 13 Proletarian Regiment at Senozece; and unspecified artillery regiment at Sveti Petar. The artillery regiment has three battalions. The 1 and 2 Battalions are armed with 76.2mm guns, model 31; the 3 Battalion, with 100mm German howitzers. The Regimental Commander is Alexander Super.

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- 6. The headquarters of the 7 Bajiska Division is at Idrija (formerly at Celje). The commander is a certain General Grubor. The Division is composed of an infantry regiment at Idrija; an infantry regiment at Vrhnika; an infantry regiment at Ajdovscina-Vipava; an artillery regiment at Logatec. The 1 and 2 Battalions of the artillery regiment have Soviet ZIS 76.2mm guns, while the 3 Battalion has 100mm howitzers.
- 7. The headquarters of the 17 Infantry Division is at Radovljica. The commander is a certain Colonel Sekulic, who succeeded Colonel Rudolf Hribernik. The Division is composed of the 15 Infantry Regiment at Trzic; the 25 Infantry Regiment is at Bled Bohinjska Bistrica; the 41 Infantry Regiment at Mojstrana; and an unspecified artillery regiment, at Begunje.
- 8. The headquarters of the 23 Macedonian Division is at Novo Mesto. The commander is Colonel Milo Jovicevic, who succeeded Colonel Stane Potocnik. The 23 Division is composed of the 7 Macedonian Infantry Regiment at Metlika; the 9 Infantry Regiment at Trebinje; an infantry regiment at Novo Mesto under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Ante Juric (which for a time was stationed at Osijek); and an artillery regiment at Novo Mesto.
- 9. The headquarters of the 26 Dalmatian Division is at Rijeka under the command of a certain Colonel Jurina. The Division is composed of an infantry regiment at Kastel Novo; an infantry regiment at Matulje; an infantry regiment at Ilirska Bistrica (possibly the 29 Regiment); and an artillery regiment at Rijeka and Susak. Unspecified units of this Division were transferred for a time to Sarajevo, but have been recalled.

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